ESTIMATES WILL SHOW RESULT OF NEWER METHODS

Congress Will Learn That Better Work Now Costs Less Money.

(Continued from First Page.) will be able to install meters, a proceeding which is essential to a business-like administration of the department. As a result, water users will gain, inasmuch as they will pay a little less for their water with meters than without, even at a higher rate, and the time when a new acqueduct must be constructed at a cost of many millions of dollars will be postponed many years.

The Commissioners recognize as one of their most important functions, the acquisition in the near future, before building operations and advancing valbuilding operations and advancing val-ues shall have made the task difficult or impossible, of lands neded for park purposes, as determined by the McMil-lan Park Commission. The Commis-sioners, therefore, will present each year to Congress a number of projects If the community will get behind the efforts of the Commissioners to obtain park lands, as fast as funds permit 't will be surprising how soon the lands may be obtained.

"All citizens must know that all the

parks cannot be obtained the first year, nor yet the second, while some must walt until the fourth or fifth year. "If there is any matter in which the citizens should be united, it in this matter of the acquisition of parks."

Milano Case to Come Before Grand Jury Later

Criminal prosecution of Tony Milano, charged with the murder of young Harry Smith a week ago in his shoemaker's shop, will not be considered before the District grand jury

until next month Today Assistant District Attorney Mudd said it would hardly be possible to present the witnesses against Milano to the grand jury for two or three weeks. A new grand jury, to be called when the October term of court opens, will probably consider the case, work before the present grand jury being congested. Before the Milano case is presented to the grand jury, witnesses will be examined in the office of the District Attorney.

Police Unable to Find Missing Arthur W. Black

No clue was obtained by the police today as to the whereabouts of fifteen-year-old Arthur W. Black, who disappeared some time Saturday night from his home, 104 Tenth street southeast. The boy carried away practically all of his clothing. and his parents believe he has left

the city. When Mrs. Black went to her son's room to call him for breakfast yesterday morning, she was surprised to find that his bed had not been slept in. Further investigation disto find that his beautiful dissection in Further investigation disselbed in Further investigation disclosed the fact that a suit case and most of the lad's clothing were also gone. She immediately had the population of the suit an alarm for her son.

Grapes Grapes Grapes

On account of many of our customers being disappointed in being unable to get any Grapes from our stock on Saturday, we have purchased another big consignment for sale tomorrow,

Over 6,000 Baskets in This Purchase

On Sale Tomorrow in Each Store, while the stock lasts— PER BASKET,

you cannot afford to let the jelly glasses stand idle if you are fortunate enough to get any grapes from this lot.

To any customer buying Grapes and an additional order of 50c worth of groceries, other than Grapes, we will sell—
ONE LOT ONLY

15 lbs. Granulated Sugar for - -

REMEMBER:-It's one lot only to each customer, and in addition to Grapes you must buy 50 cents worth of other goods.

(No Snies to Dealers.)

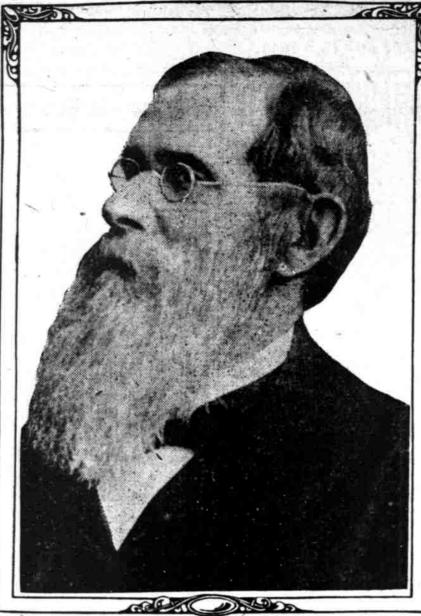
Wednesday Only Mason's QUART Jars, 42/2c Mason's PINT Jars. 37/2C 4-Pint Jelly Glasses, any 15c remaining stock, doz..... 15c Big Thick Fruit Jar Rub- 7c Aunt Jemima's Pancake 9c



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Aged Resident Claimed by Death



HERMAN GASCH,

Capital Resident for More Than Sixty Years, Dies After Long Illness.

Taft Sends Greeting To Mexican President

President Taft has sent a telegram assuring him of this country's good will on the occasion of the celebras as follows:

"I take pleasure in tendering your excellency, in the name of the peo-ple of the United States and in my own, sincere congratulations of this national anniversary and in assuring you of the good will which this Gov-ernment and the people bear for your excellency's country."

Wants Name Changed.

Israel Katz today filed a petition n the District Supreme Court to change his name to Harry Katz, having used the latter name in business for the last five years. His attorney is Mark Stearman.

Consul Reports on

to President De la Barra of Mexico, in Mexico today reached the State Department through official channels Consul Ellsworth reports from Eagle tion of independence day by the southern neighbors. The telegram is as follows:

Pass that on Saturday from 300 to 500 Mexicans marched the streets, shouting and throwing stones and breaking doors and windows, He

He adds that no foreigners were counded. From other sections of the republic have come reports of violence, but the latest assurances from Mexico indicate that the uneasiness in official circles over this situation is relieved.

Woman Loses \$250.

Mrs. J. J. Hassold, of 726 Fifth street northwest, reported to the police of the Sixth precinct today that a hand hag eral other articles of value was stolen from her home last night. She places her loss at \$250.

HERMAN GASCH, IN BUSINESS HERE SIX

can Insurance Company Passes Away.

Herman Gasch, eighty-five years old, president of the German-American Insurance Company, and for more than sixty years a prominent business man of the Capital, died at his residence, 2617 Fourteenth street northwest yesterday afternoon. Death came after an illness of several months, and after Mr. Gasch had suffered several strokes of paralysis. Born in Saxony, Germany, in 1826, Mr. Gasch came of a very old and prominent German family. He received his university education in the German Gymnasium, and was prominent as a young man in affairs of interest to the last

generation of Germans. Coming to Washington in 1850, he a once identified himself with the business interests of the city. For a number of years he ran a wholesale tobacco store on Seventh street, going into the insurance business thirty years ago, when the German-American Fire Insurance Company of the Distrist was organized. He was the holder of a number of prom-inent offices in the company, including that of treasurer, until about twelve years ago, when he was made president, in which office he took active interest until the time of his death.

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'Always of simple tastes, Mr. Gasch avoided publicity, and business associates say he was the possessor of remarkable business ability. His advice. always conservative, was sought upon many occasions. His wife, to whom he was married for nearly half a cen-tury, died at an advanced aged six tury, dieds at an advanced aged six years ago.

Mr. Gasch is survived by four children—Mrs. Charles A. Kolb, Mrs. Julius A. Maedel, and Herman E. Gasch, of Washington, and Arthur E. Gasch, of Fairfax, Va.

Everyl services will be held tomor-

es After Long Illness.

Fairfax, Va.
Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the family residence. The Rev. A. R. Hussey, of a Unitarian church of Baltimore, an old friend of Mr. Gasch, will officiate. Interment will be private in Glenwood Cemetery.

Echoes of the independence day riots Fire in Mrs. Lockwood's **House Due to Accident**

A lighted match dropped in a pile of newspapers in the bathroom is believed by the police today to have started a fire which did \$250 damage to the home of Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood, suffragist leader and twice candidate for the Presidency, at 619 F street northwest. The blaze was discovered shortly after midnight. Mrs. Lockwood and seevral roomers were all awakened in time to

get out before the fire gained much headway. The flames were confined to the bathroom and the hallway. Emphatic denial was made by the police and firemen today that any one in the building experienced difficulty in resting out. Police of the Sixth practice.

President of German-Ameri- Makes Short Talk to Business Men, and Leaves for Pontiac.

> DETROIT, Mich. Sept. 18 .- A drizzie of rain greeted President Taft when he began his four day tour of Michigan with a rapid fire visit to Detroit today.
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> The President was in town just one hour this morning and the only function he attended was breakfast with the beard of commerce.
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> Immediately after making a short talk to the members of the board at the Detroit Club, he was taken aboard a special troilly car to begin his swing around

troit Club, he was taken aboard a special troiley car to begin his swing around the state with Pontiac as the first stop. This afternoon he will return to Detroit to address the crowd at the Michigan State fairs. A board of commerce luncheon and an automobile ride will round out the day.

Saginaw and Bay City will see the President this evening, and Sault Ste. Marle, Marquette, Grand Rapids, Battle Creek and Kalamagoo will be visited before he leaves the state Thursday.

Children Line Trolley Route and Cheer Taft On Visit to Pontiac

PONTIAC, Mich., Sept. 18 .- Greeted by 2,000 little school children in gala dress, who lined the streets here, President Taft today came to Pontiac. The President was deeply touched by the greeting of the cheering little ones. He came from Detroit by trolley, and all along the line the school children were out

to cheer as the car went by.

On arriving here the President was escorted by the children to the little grandstand in a broad, shaded park There were \$,000 persons gathered to hear him. He was introduced by Representative Service Santy. resentative Samuel Santy. The President delivered a brief eulogy of James Le Roy, late Philippine commissioner, who died of tuberculesis in the islands. LeRoy was a native of Parties.

Strike Ordered, Men Have Not Walked Out

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 18 .- Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad officials said today that the section hands here have not yet struck, despite the order issued for a walkout Saturday by President A. B. Lowe, of the International Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Em-

It is believed the men have not yet received official notification of the issuance of the strike order.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought Signature of Chart Hetcher

To Drop Two Middies Hunyadi Naval Academy Told

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Sept. 18.—The of-ficial notification from the Navy De-partment that Midshipman Charles J. Clifford, of Massachusetts, and Gaston L. Holmes, of Mississippi, had been dropped from the service on account of unauthorized absence from their ship, was received at the Naval Academy to-day, and the two young men ceased to While the ships of the practice fleet were at Bergen, Norway, this summer, the young men overstayed their leave, and the fleet sailed for Gibraltar with-

Loses \$92 on Car. -The loss of a pocketbook containing \$22 was reported to the police today by Miss Mildred Nickens, of 1939 L street northwest. The purse was lost on a Mt. Pleasant car.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE
Washington American League Base
Ball Club—Notice is hersby given that a
special meeting of the stockholders of
the Washington American League Base
Ball Club will be held at Room 705 Colorado Building, Washington, D. C., on
the 20th day of October, 1911, at twelve
o'clock noon, to consider and vote upon
resolutions which will be offered at said
meeting for the purpose of increasing
the capital stock of the club from
10.000 shares of the par value of \$10 each,
aggregating the sum of \$100,000, to
20,000 shares of the par value of \$10
each, aggregating the sum of \$200,000;
and for such other business as may
properly be brought before said meeting.
THOS. C. NOYES, President and Director; E. J. WALSH, Vice President and
Director; BENJAMIN S. MINOR, Secretary and Director; RUDOLPH KAUFFMANN, Director; RUDOLPH KAUFFMANN, Director; RUDOLPH KAUFFMANN, Director; RUDOLPH KAUFF-

NOTICE.

WALTERS & WATSON DAIRY
BUSINESS, 2306 L St. N. W.
The partnership between the undersigned, trading as Walters & Watson, is, by mutual consent, dissolved to take effect October 1, 1911. The business will be continued by Henry T. Watson, by whom all liabilities of the firm will be rettled, and to whom all indebtedness to the firm will be paid.

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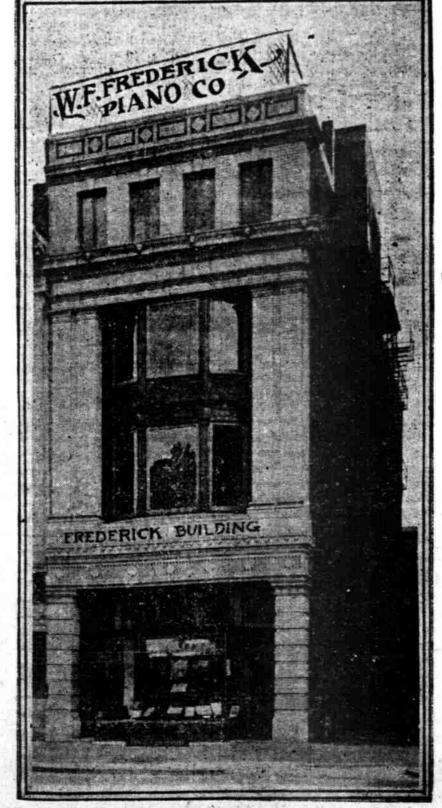
When the Frederick Piano Company does anything, it does it thoroughly. Most people in Washington know this to be true from observation. When this company determined to get a new home for its growing business, it went about it calmly and deliberately until the right place was found and then-took it. The result will speak for itself when completed, which will be in a few days. It will, we believe, be found to be the most artistic and thoroughly-equipped piano warerooms in Washington.

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BEAR IN MIND, PLEASE, that this Sale is going on at the OLD ADDRESS-1328 F street.

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